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A DRESS SUIT IMMIGRANT.

Otto Schmelzer Thus Attired Rans the Gauntlet of the Officials.

An immigrant arrived at New York recently in a dress suit. Otto Schmelzer, the descendant of an ancient Polish house, was among the stowaway passengers on the good ship La Touraine. As the boat neared the port Otto was alarmed by the stories circulated in the steerage that the detention of the authorities amounted to almost imprisonment. Among his possessions was a dress suit he had worn in the days when, as an aristocrat, he sometimes ended evenings of celebration minus his night gown but adorned in evening attire. When Otto learned that the gentlemen aboard were allowed to go ashore without any trouble, except the examination of their baggage, he attired himself in his precious dress suit. He was better off than most of his fellows, for he had a clean shirt and when he appeared on deck he was the pride and envy of the steerage. It was 10 o'clock in the morning, but the Polish gentleman, who could not afford a jag to account for the dress suit, in his excitement forgot his good breeding and the rule that evening dress is not to be worn until after 6, except in the early morning when accompanied by the remains of a lark. His remarkable appearance called the immediate attention of the authorities to him. When he explained the situation, exhibiting \$10 in gold and strutting in the dress suit, he was allowed to go on his way rejoicing, to join the ranks of those whose dress suits are the excuse for their poverty.

ANOTHER ON CHAUNCEY.

The Small Boy Hurts the Truth to the Great Story-Teller.

Here's one on Chauncey Depew. The genial doctor had dropped in to see a gentleman on some business at his private residence. An inquisitive small boy was playing in the extension room back of the parlor. He seemed to take a great interest in the visitor, and every now and then suspended his sport to reconnoiter him. When Mr. Depew left the lad ran to the front window, and, looking out, asked:

"Who is that man, papa?"

"He's the gentleman your mother and I were talking about at the breakfast table this morning. Mr. Depew, the greatest story-teller I ever heard."

A few days after the visitor came again. The lad was standing on the front stoop, and as Mr. Depew rang the bell he said to him:

"I know you."

Mr. Depew is fond of children, and, patting the little fellow on the head, observed encouragingly: "Come, now, if you think you know who I am, who am I?"

"You're the gentleman who tells the biggest whoppers papa ever heard."

Tent Life in Mongolia.

In the plains on the western borders of the Chinese Empire, in the very heart of Asia there live roaming tribes who seldom visit towns, except it may be in the way of trade. They dwell in tents which they pitch wherever they may happen for the moment to be wandering or working. The tent used by some of the roving Mongolian folk is made of felt, and is unusually low, small, and pointed towards the top. The wooden door-frame is no higher than half a window-frame in our houses, but the tent, although not equal to the wants of a large family, is snug and comfortable enough in summer, but cold, cold in winter.

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Of lilies and the rose,
Of flowers rare, of flowers fair,
As summer comes and goes,
But ever more my song shall be,
As ages move along,
Of pictures like the one you see,
The waving, glorious corn.



Across the field is heard the call,
Of quails unto their mate,
Across and nuts are heard to fall,
Dear farmer don't be late,
Your groaning wagon homeward born,
Bring man's best friend, the golden corn?

See the Lilliputians with their raik-an-saw

Amidst the glories of the field,
From Texas lands to Ark-an-saw,
Gathering in the golden yield,
The silks and tassels how sweet they smell.

The winds, like waves upon the seas,
Do softly lie and gently swell,
The broad blade's beauteous leaves.

The Great Spirit many long years ago,
Brought to the Indians the waving corn.

They brought this corn to you and me
With them we bless their Deity,
And everywhere that man is born,
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J S O'Mally,	5000	Thos H Roberts	2000
Ben Silliman,	3000	Mat Tennery	2000
W B Johnson,	5000	Ed Nelson	5000
W A Ledbetter,	7500	I G Treat	1000
S Zuckerman,	10,000	W T Lancaster	2000
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